

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.54864 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-64 Year-2023 Thana- KHAJAULI District- Madhubani

ANUJ KUMAR SON OF MANOJ KUMAR RESIDENT OF VILLAGE-
BHAIYAPATTI, PS- BASOPATTI, DISTT- MADHUBANI

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Jitendra Kumar Bharti, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Raj Ballabh Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SHAILENDRA SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 30-08-2023 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned APP for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
G.R. No.27 of 2023 arising out of Khajauli P.S. Case No.64 of
2023 dated 07.04.2023 registered for the offence/s punishable
under Section/s 20 and 22 of the NDPS Act.

3. The main submissions advanced by the
learned counsel for the petitioner are that the petitioner has fair
and clean antecedent and has been languishing in jail since
08.04.2023, as per the allegation three accused persons including
this petitioner were apprehended with alleged contraband when
they were riding on a motorcycle, in fact, the petitioner was riding
on the said motorcycle as a pillion rider and as per the FIR the
alleged contraband suspected to be *Ganja* which was kept in a bag
was recovered from the specific possession of the co-accused



Manoj Kumar and only one mobile phone is stated to have been recovered from the possession of this petitioner. Petitioner had no knowledge about the alleged contraband as being in the possession of the said co-accused Manoj Kumar. Further submissions are that the alleged narcotic contraband comes in the purview of intermediate quantity and one similarly situated co-accused person namely Randhir Mandal carrying similar nature of allegation has been granted bail by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide order passed in Cr. Misc. No.41161 of 2023 and against the petitioner the investigation has been completed.

4. Learned APP appearing for the State opposes the bail prayer.

5. Considering the above submissions and mainly the completion of investigation against this petitioner, in my opinion it is a fit case for bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, let the petitioner named-above be released on bail in connection with G.R. No.27 of 2023 arising out of Khajauli P.S. Case No.64 of 2023 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/-(Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the Court concerned.

(Shailendra Singh, J)

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